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Paraho
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AMENDMENT OF DIRECTOR'S MINUTES OF JULY 7, 1982

On July 7, 1982, the Director approved an assignment of a 25% interest from Samedan Oil Corporation to Nicor Exploration Company on Leases ML 35883, ML 35885, and ML 37070. It has now been determined that it was the intention of the parties to this assignment to assign a 25% interest of Samedan's 28.125% interest rather than a total 25% interest. I, therefore, recommend that the Director's Minutes of July 7, 1982, on these leases be amended to show a corrected interest being assigned.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Prince, the Director approved the above captioned correction.

PREFERENCE RIGHT OIL SHALE LEASES

On August 5, 1983, the United States conveyed to the State of Utah certain lands on School Indemnity List No. 324. A portion of these lands are oil shale lands in Uintah County, Utah. Prior to this date these lands were covered by certain unpatented oil shale mining claims held by Gulf Oil Corporation and Frederick H. Larson. Paraho Development Corporation had acquired an interest in certain claims from Gulf/Larson. The Division of State Lands had entered into an agreement with Gulf Oil Corporation and Frederick H. Larson and Paraho Development Corporation to grant these parties preference right oil shale leases on the lands acquired under the provisions of Sec. 65-1-45(c), Utah Code Annotated 1953, as amended, upon their relinquishment of their unpatented mining claims and the transfer of this land from the United States to the State of Utah.

As a part of the transfer of the lands Gulf/Larson and Paraho Development Corporation filed relinquishments of their unpatented mining claims with the Bureau of Land Management. In accordance with the agreements between Gulf/Larson and Paraho, preference right oil shale leases were issued to these parties. These leases are as follows:

ML 40853	T9S, R25E, SLB&M.	Uintah County
	Sec. 19: SE $\frac{1}{4}$	1479.47 acres
	Sec. 28: S $\frac{1}{2}$	
	Sec. 30: Lots 5-14, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$	
	Sec. 31: NW $\frac{1}{4}$	
	Sec. 33: Lots 1-5, NE $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	

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PREFERENCE RIGHT OIL SHALE LEASES (cont).

ML 40854 Gulf Oil Corp. and
Frederick H. Larson

T12S, R25E, SLB&M.

Uintah County
5760.00 acres

Sec. 7: $S\frac{1}{2}S\frac{1}{2}$

Sec. 8: $S\frac{1}{2}S\frac{1}{2}$

Sec. 17: All

Sec. 18: $E\frac{1}{2}NE\frac{1}{4}$, $NW\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}$,
 $N\frac{1}{2}NW\frac{1}{4}$, $SE\frac{1}{4}$,
 $SW\frac{1}{4}NE\frac{1}{4}$, $S\frac{1}{2}NW\frac{1}{4}$, $SW\frac{1}{4}$

Sec. 19: $E\frac{1}{2}$, $SW\frac{1}{4}$, $NW\frac{1}{4}$

Sec. 20: $W\frac{1}{2}NE\frac{1}{2}$, $W\frac{1}{2}$

Sec. 29: $W\frac{1}{2}$

Sec. 30: All

T12S, R24E, SLB&M.

Sec. 11: $S\frac{1}{2}SE\frac{1}{4}$

Sec. 12: $S\frac{1}{2}S\frac{1}{2}$

Sec. 13: $N\frac{1}{2}N\frac{1}{2}$, $SW\frac{1}{4}NW\frac{1}{4}$, $SW\frac{1}{4}$,
 $S\frac{1}{2}SE\frac{1}{4}$, $S\frac{1}{2}NE\frac{1}{4}$, $SE\frac{1}{4}NW\frac{1}{4}$,
 $N\frac{1}{2}SE\frac{1}{4}$

Sec. 14: $E\frac{1}{2}$

Sec. 23: $E\frac{1}{2}$

Sec. 24: All

*Include
w/ Paraho*

These leases are dated August 5, 1983. The lessees paid the first year rentals upon issuance of the leases. Copies of the exchange agreements and claim relinquishments are in each lease file.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Prince, the Director approved the above captioned Preference Right Oil Shale Leases.

SURFACE BUSINESS MATTERS

TIMBER APPLICATIONS

T/A # 590

Mr. Dan Miller, 1901 Murphy Lane, Moab, Utah 84532 has requested permission to purchase 45 trees, 1,306 board feet of spruce sawtimber, and 510 board feet of subalpine fir sawtimber from the following described lands:

Township 27 South, Range 25 East, SLBM
Section 18 & 19 San Juan County

Charges are listed as follows: \$4.00 per tree, spruce sawtimber will be \$30.00/M, and subalpine fir will cost \$12.00/M, for a total of \$225.30 plus a \$10.00 application fee. Expiration date will be August 30, 1983.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Klason, the Director approved the above captioned timber application with an expiration date of August 30, 1983.

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